



EL PORTAL DRIVE TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE STARTS ON MAY 1, 2012

April 13, 2012

Dear Neighbors,

Starting on May 1, 2012 and lasting up to eight months, El Portal Drive will be closed to vehicular and pedestrian traffic due to the Via Verdi Culvert Repair project, between the Church of Christ parking lot and Barranca Street.

The City's consultant worked with Caltrans to develop the El Portal Drive Temporary Road Closure Vehicular Detour Plan to assist residents in navigating around the temporary road closure. In addition to providing several alternate driving routes, Caltrans has agreed to place temporary messaging boards in the I-80 corridor to inform drivers of the temporary road closure and detour information.

AC Transit has developed temporary detour routes for lines "L" and "74." In order to assist riders with the temporary changes to the AC Transit routes, an AC Transit Detour Plan, an AC Transit Pedestrian Access Plan, and a detailed map of AC Transit Line 74 route are included within this letter.

During the course of the Via Verdi Repair Project, you can receive project updates via

 Twitter – twitter.com/CoR_Engineering

 Facebook – City of Richmond, CA

You can access the City of Richmond, CA Facebook page by simply clicking on the facebook symbol in the top right corner of the City's main website:
<http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/>

Via Verdi Repair Project webpage: <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/index.aspx?NID=2135>

Please contact Tawfic Halaby, Associate Civil Engineer, at (510) 621-1612 or tawfic_halaby@ci.richmond.ca.us if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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TWO WEEK NOTICE
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DATE: April 16, 2012

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El Portal Temporary Road Closure: Detour Routes

Note: El Portal Drive / I-80 Ramps can still be accessed from El Portal west of the temporary closure.

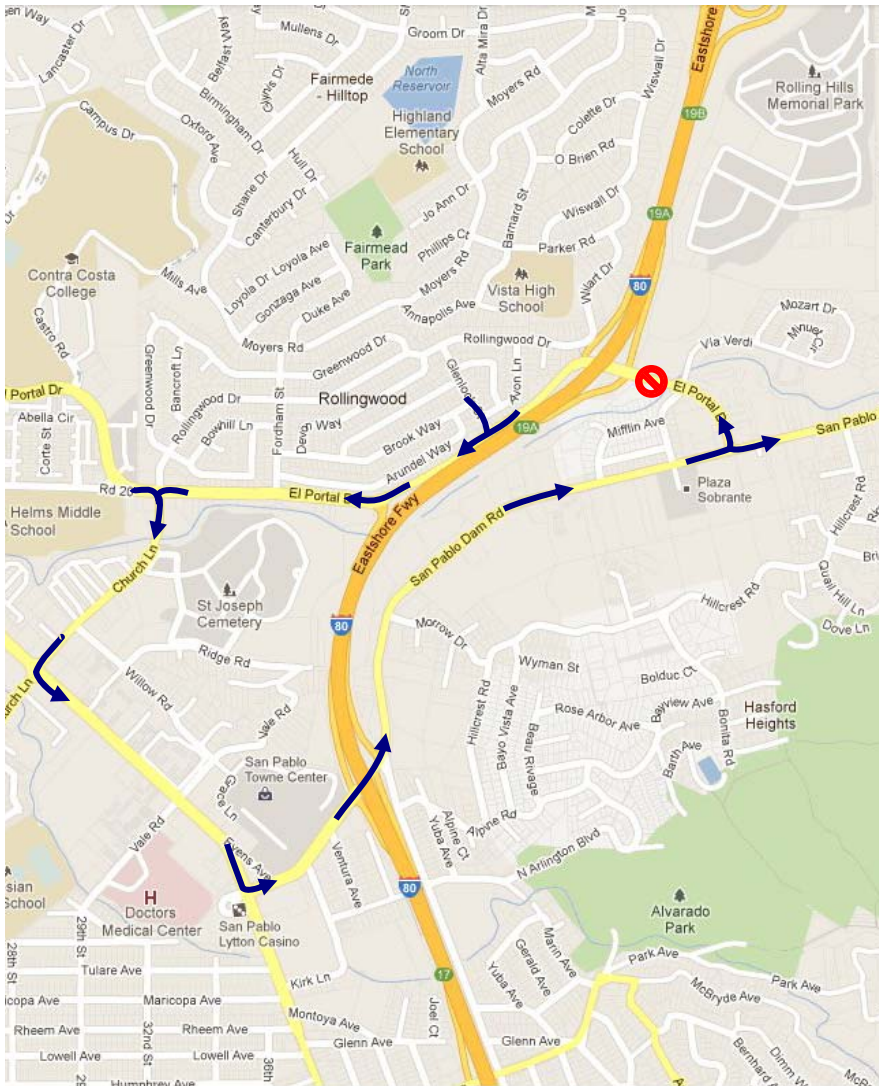


Figure 1. Eastbound El Portal Drive Detour

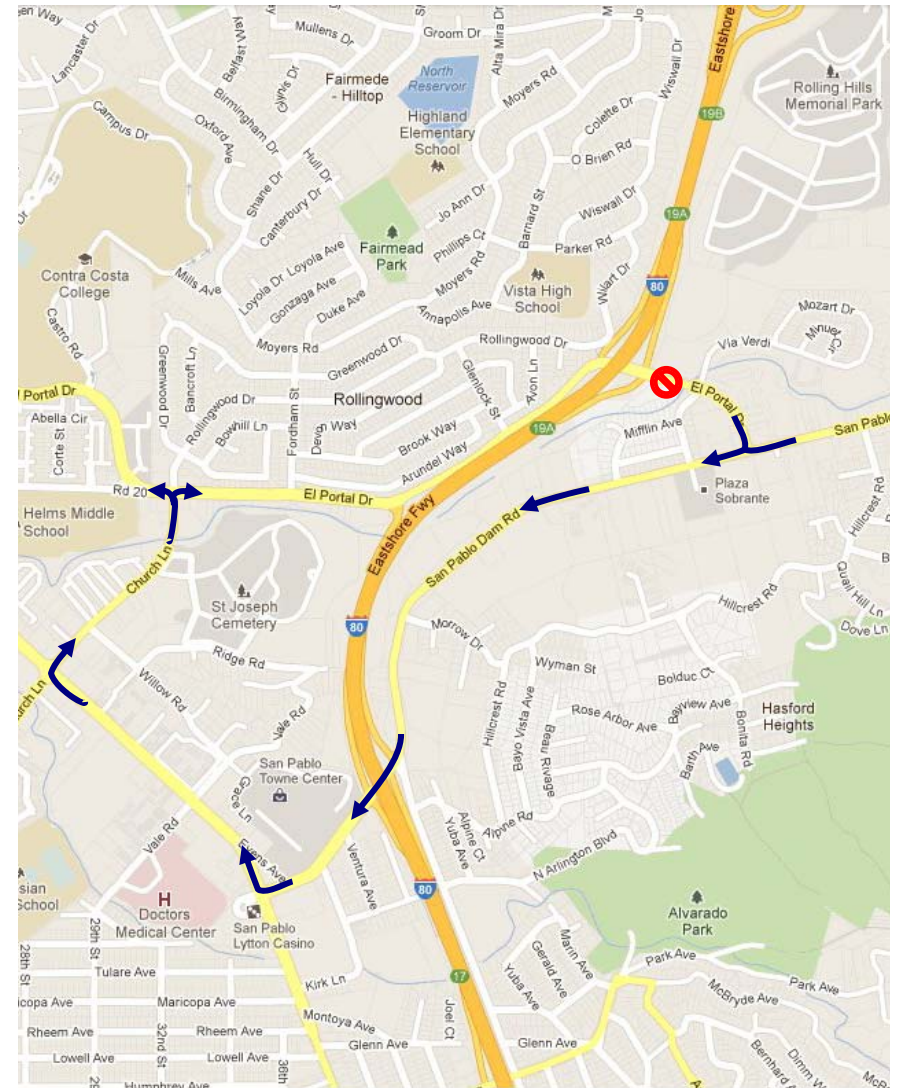


Figure 2. Westbound El Portal Drive Detour

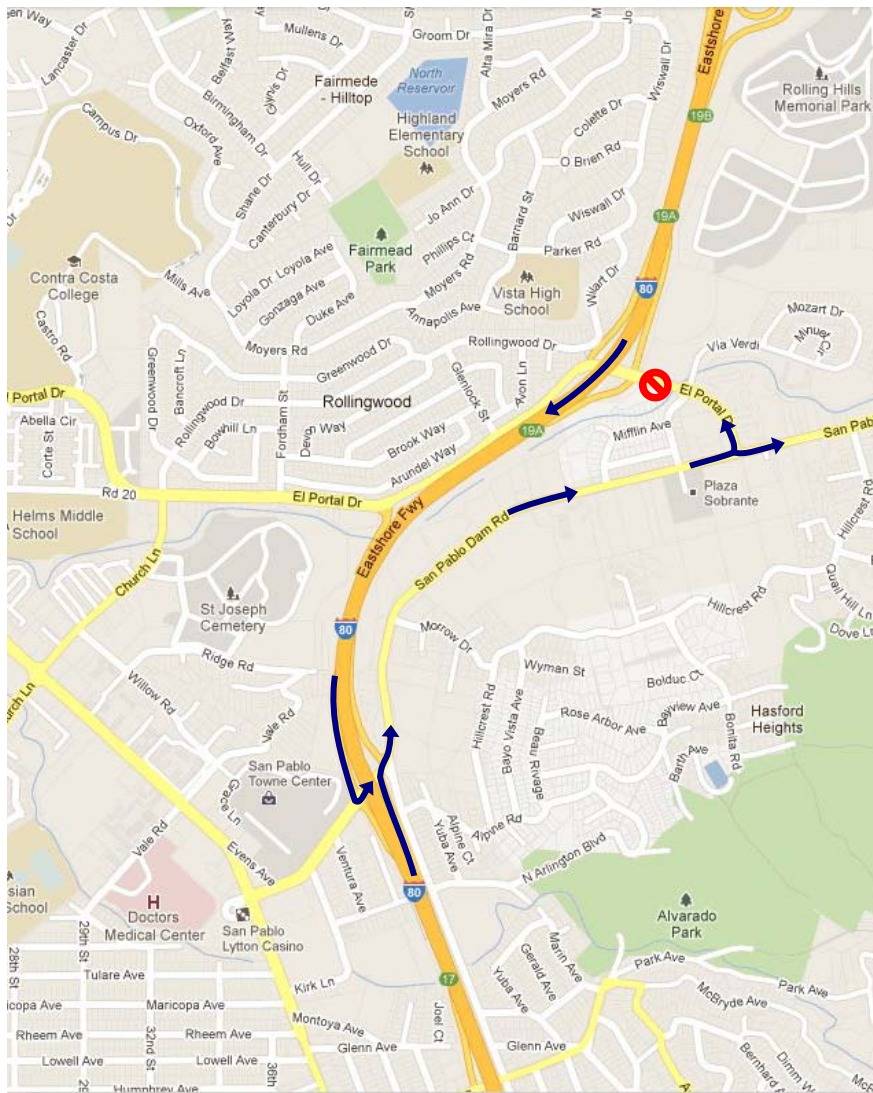


Figure 3. Detour from I-80 to Locations East of Closure

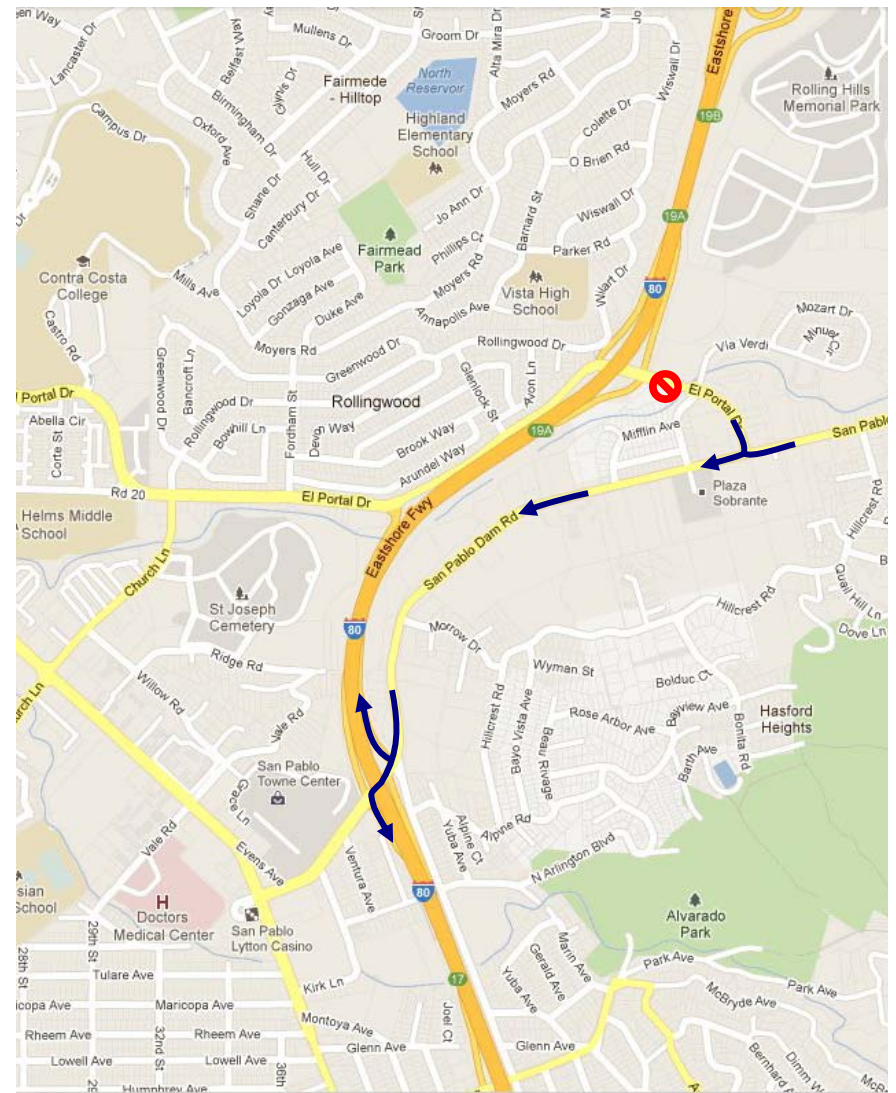
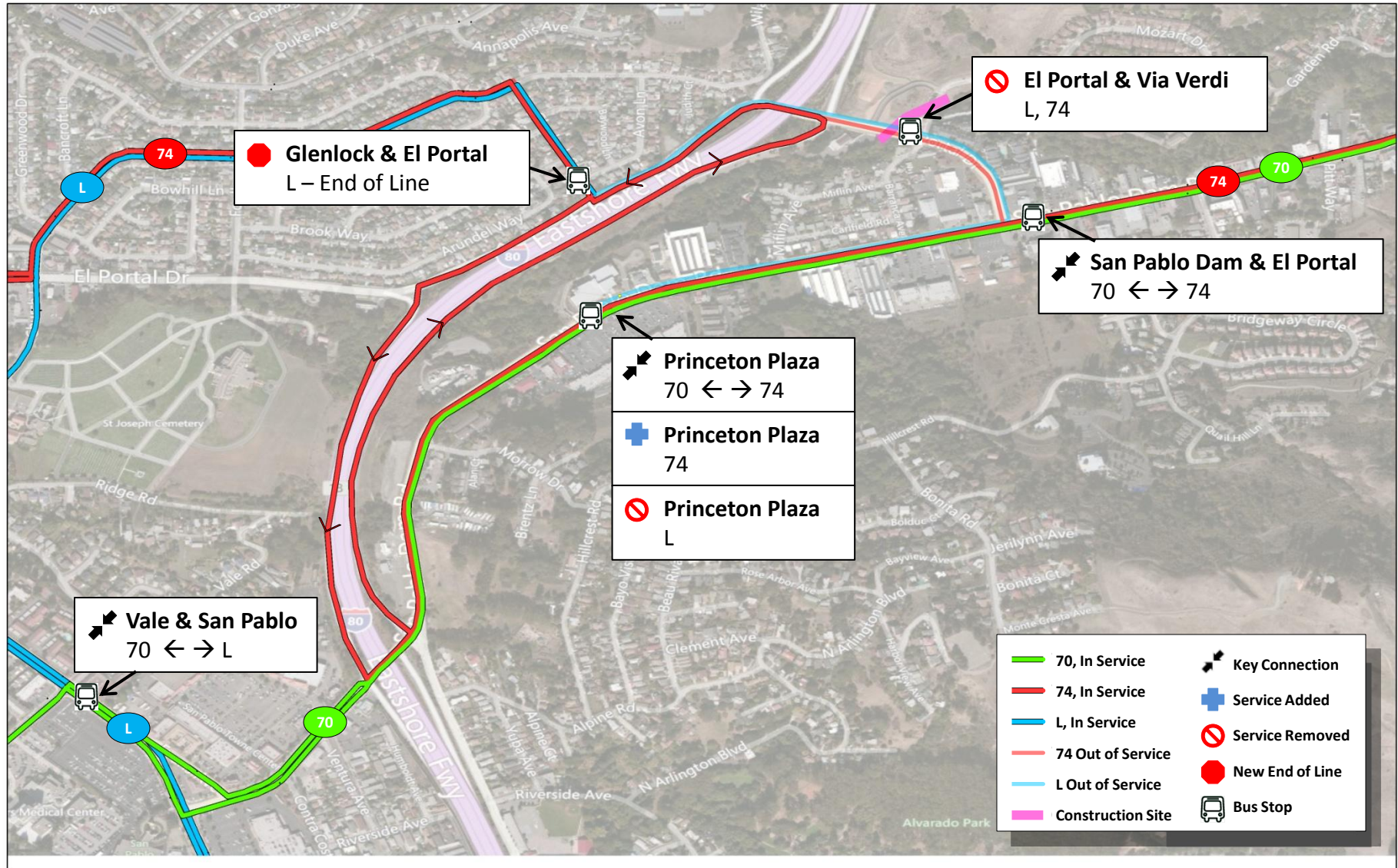


Figure 4. Detour to I-80 for Traffic East of Closure



AC Transit Detour Plan for El Portal/Via Verdi Construction, May 2012

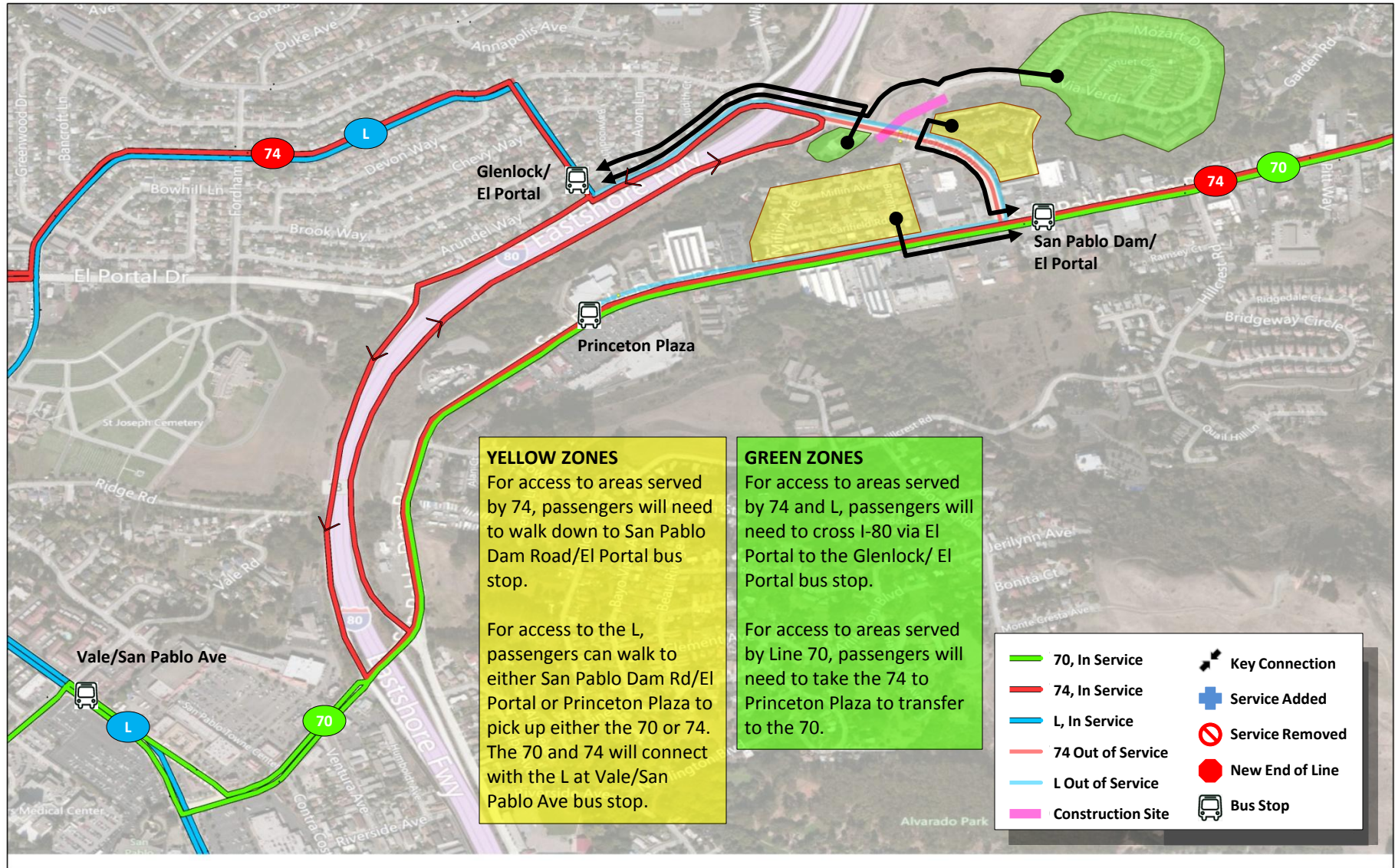
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AC Transit Pedestrian Access Plan for El Portal/Via Verdi Construction, May 2012

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Line 74

